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(b) the districts wherefrom no candidates at all were selected for admission together with the reasons therefor; and

(c) the districts from which the candidates were admitted and the total number so admitted from each of such districts?

A.—(a) to (c) A statement[a] is appended.

Inadequacy of accommodation in the Government Secondary and Training School for Women, Mangalore.

* 305 Q.—Mr. U. C. SUBRAHMANYA BHATT: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Excise be pleased to state—

(a) whether it is a fact that for want of accommodation in the Government Secondary and Training School for Women, Mangalore, a large number of students are refused admission every year; and

(b) what action the Government propose to take in the matter?

A.—(a) Yes.

(b) Owing to the present financial stringency it is not possible to consider the question of increasing the accommodation of the school.

Number of District Educational Officers classified on a linguistic basis.

* 306 Q.—Rao Sahib B. VENKATARAMAYYA: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Excise be pleased to state the number of District Educational Officers in the Presidency and how many of these officers are drafted from each of the principal linguistic areas?

A.—There are 26 District Educational Officers at present. Of these 5 belong to the Telugu districts, 13 to Tamil districts, 2 to Kanarese districts and 4 come from Malabar. One belongs to North India and one is a European.

Staff employed in the office of the Director of Public Instruction.

* 307 Q.—Rao Sahib B. VENKATARAMAYYA: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Excise be pleased to lay on the table of the House a statement of the staff employed in the office of the Director of Public Instruction and state how many of them are from Andhra Desa and from other principal linguistic areas?

A.—It is presumed that the hon. Member refers to the non-gazetted staff. The following statement gives the information:—

Superintendents—	
Permanent	7
Temporary	1
Clerks—Upper division—	
Permanent	19
Temporary	3

[a] Printed as Appendix XVI on pages 163-164 infra.

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Clerks—Lower division, typists and stenographer—	
Permanent	26
Temporary	1
	57
From the Tamil area	44
From the Telugu area	5
From the Malayalam area	7
From the Kanarese area	1
	57

Fisheries

Income from fisheries sales in Nellore district.

* 308 *Q.*—Khan Bahadur Yahya Ali Sahib Bahadur: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Excise be pleased to state—

(*a*) what are the amounts realized by the fishery sales in the Nellore district from the tanks that have been handed over to the Fisheries Department in 1929–30 and 1930–31 and during the two years during which the Public Works Department had the direct control over them last;

(*b*) what is the method according to which sale is conducted—by public auction, tender system or by a secret private arrangement between individuals and the department;

(*c*) if it is by public auction whether it is a fact that in many cases confirmation is made by the department or Government privately of bids other than those that are the highest;

(*d*) whether in certain cases, the auction sale was for one year and the confirmation was for two years and three years at one stretch by private negotiations;

(*e*) whether it is a fact that such negotiations are left completely to the Deputy Director of Fisheries, Mr. Chakrapani Ayyangar, and the Inspector of Fisheries, Mr. Adayya;

(*f*) whether such negotiations are merely oral or are placed on record;

(*g*) whether Government have received complaints about the unsatisfactory nature of some of these negotiations, and if so, what action has been taken on them; and

(*h*) whether the Government have gone into the matter of making satisfactory and unquestionable arrangements with regard to the sale of fisheries, and if so, what they are?

A.—(*a*) 1929–30 ... ... Rs. 12,200
1930–31 ... ... Rs. 20,200

Figures for the other two years are not available with the Government.